(c) Generally 2 days—Saturday and Sunday—if there are other holidays those days are also devoted for his work in this department according to necessity.

(d) Yes.

(2) Rs. 200 a year as honorarium and T. A. under the ordinary rules.

(3) 5 years' study of Ayurveda and 7years' practice under Uzhuthra Warriar, formerly the Professor of Ayurveda in the Sree Rama Varma Sanskrit College, Trippunittura and now Cochin Darbar Physician. A course of study and practice in Visha Vaidyam under His Highness the Elaya Raja of Cochin. A study in Anatomy under Mr. P. S. Warriar of Kottakkal and training in nursing, bandaging, first aid and minor operations in the same hospital. Experience in the preparation of medicines. Besides he is a Chemistry Graduate of the Madras University.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know, sir, whether this extra work thrown upon this teacher does not prejudicially affect his work in the school?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—It was on the distinct understanding that his services will not be requisitioned beyond a certain limit that his services were allowed to be used. So we will safeguard and see that this work does not at all interfere with the work in the school. By way of explanation I may say that he is one of the supernumerary teachers which all schools possess.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Now that there is a Superintendent, cannot this system which is sure to prejudicially affect the teacher's activities in the Education Department be stopped and the work entrusted to the Superintendent there?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon.—The proposal is under the consideration of the Government.

Panchayat election—Kadavallur village.

19. **Mr. T. C. Iyyukutty**—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the place where the Panchayat election of the Kadavallur village is to be conducted;

(b) whether there was any change in the former proposal;

(c) if so, why?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon.—(a) The place has not been fixed.

(b) Yes.

(c) Mainly owing to complaints from intending candidates.

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